

Ordinance No. 98- 4

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE PROVISIONS OF
I.C. 5-22 CONCERNING PUBLIC PURCHASING

WHEREAS, effective July 1, 1998, the public purchasing statutes of the State of Indiana have been amended and replaced by I.C. 5-22 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Lebanon determines that it is appropriate to designate a Purchasing Agency to act on behalf of the City of Lebanon in order to implement the provisions of I.C. 5-22 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, where applicable, the provisions of I.C. 5-22 shall hereafter apply to public purchasing in the City of Lebanon.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA, that:

Section 1. The Board of Public Works and Safety is hereby designated as the Purchasing Agency for the City of Lebanon, with all the powers and duties authorized under I.C. 5-22. The Purchasing Agency shall designate from time to time Purchasing Agents as such becomes necessary.

Section 2. The Purchasing Agent may purchase supplies with an estimated cost of less than Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) on the open market without inviting or receiving quotes or bids.

Section 3. Each department of the City of Lebanon may purchase services in whatever manner the purchaser deems to be reasonable so long as said procedure is in compliance with I.C. 5-22 or any other applicable law or ordinance.

Section 4. Supplies manufactured in the United States shall be specified for all purchases and shall be purchased unless the City determines that:

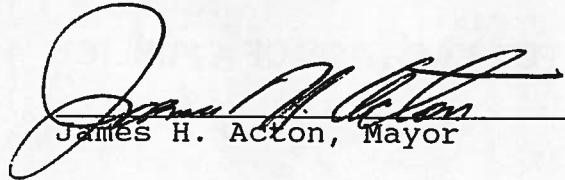
(A) the supplies are not manufactured in the United States in reasonably available quantities;

(B) the price of the supplies manufactured in the United States exceeds by an unreasonable amount the price of available and comparable supplies manufactured elsewhere;

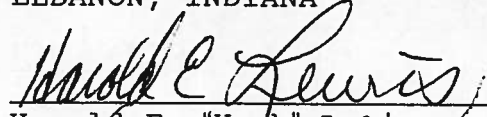
(C) the quality of the supplies manufactured in the United States is substantially less than the quality of comparably priced available supplies manufactured elsewhere; or

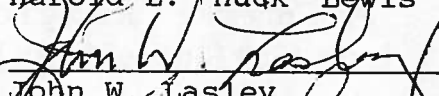
(D) the purchase of supplies manufactured in the United States is not in the public interest.

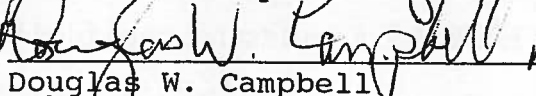
ALL OF WHICH IS CONSIDERED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Indiana, this 22nd day of June, 1998.

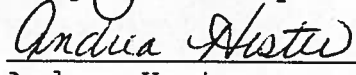

James H. Acton, Mayor

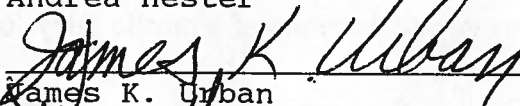
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LEBANON, INDIANA



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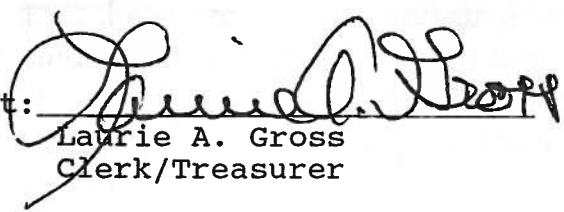

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Clerk/Treasurer